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## GREATEST IN KANSAS.

AVERAGE DAILY CIRCULATION:  
8,806

For the three full summer months of 1894—an increase of over fifty per cent in one year.

OUR PROOF:  
The issue of the TOPEKA DAILY STATE JOURNAL for the three months, viz. from the 1st day of June, 1894, to the 31st day of August, 1894, inclusive, have been as follows:

DAY	June	July	August
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Totals	262,000	241,172	231,108

\*Sunday, no issue.  
The total number of copies printed in the three months named above, 744,280, divided by 70, the number of issues, shows an average of 10,618. This is a record for any paper in Kansas, and is a fair estimate of the circulation of the TOPEKA DAILY STATE JOURNAL for the three months named.

(Signed) *Frank P. MacLennan*  
Editor and Proprietor.

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## Weather Information.

CHICAGO Nov. 20.—Forecast for Kansas: Tonight and Wednesday fair and cold; westerly winds.

The political future in Kansas is "bright with promises." But the army of office seekers should be careful to notice who is making the promises.

GALLEGRA A. GROW'S majority in Pennsylvania is 206,000, the largest ever given any candidate in the United States. Doesn't this make him the "logical" candidate for president?

KING A Leader-Courier: We haven't seen anybody yet trying to trade cows for Winchester, yet Secretary of State Osborne told us it would be so if the Republicans won in the election this fall.

FORTY-ONE thousand Democrats stayed at home in Missouri and didn't vote. A Missouri Democrat never scrapes the moss off his back. When he doesn't like a Democratic administration, he stays in his hollow log.

KANSAS will never settle down, politically, until the farmers can quit feeding wheat to the hogs. There's going to be a row, just as long as the farming industry remains bottom end up as the wheat situation indicates.

The payment of \$22,000 for the governorship of New York by Levi P. Morton, as shown in his own statement of election expenses, is a matter that ought to be viewed with alarm in this country. If that is what it costs to be governor, where is the opportunity for the poor man to serve his country?

We hear on the best authority, says the London Bookman, that Mr. Du Maurier's "Trilby" has sold in America to the extent of 100,000 copies. It is interesting to compare this sale of the story in one volume at, we think, \$1.75, with the sale here in three volumes, and which, although no figures are published, cannot be much more than 2,000 copies, even if it amounts to that.

The increase in the national debt in the month of October was \$13,000,000. And we have such a cast iron form of government provided for us by the "fathers of this republic" that we can't stop this sort of business for a year or more yet. Our government has many weak points, and one of the weakest is that the people can't "get action" quick enough.

SENATOR DON CAMERON and Senator Pettigrew are reported as about to join the independent crusade for free silver. If Senator Cameron possessed the energy and ability of his distinguished father, he would prove a powerful ally to any cause. These gentlemen would better wait till they hear from Tom Reed. If he does not sound the key note for the next campaign a large number of people will be disappointed. Reed is in a position to become the Moses of his people.

The force of replenishing the gold reserve in the United States treasury is again being enacted. When Secretary Carlisle announced this second issue of bonds, he told the bankers they must not present treasury notes for redemption, to get the gold to pay for these bonds.

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## Great Special Sale on Dress Goods

As we are going to need considerable space for our Holiday Goods—it is necessary for us to reduce our stock of Dress Goods as much as possible—so, that, notwithstanding the present low prices, we begin tomorrow, by offering additional inducements in still lower prices.

40-inch all wool Fancy Suiting, regularly 35c yd.

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The last two in a large line of the pretty Red and Cardinal shades, also the new Blues—usually sold at 50c yard—

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Fancy Stripes—Bourettes—

46-inch Drap d'Ete and India Twills.

The last two in an elegant line of Reds and Blues, and worth up to 65c yard. This sale,

50 CENTS YARD

An extra quality Fine Covert Cloth, 50 inches wide—One of the best Cloths shown this season at 75c yard. This sale

FOR 59 CENTS YARD

40-inch fancy all wool Novelties—in little dots—and other pretty weaves—two toned effects—were \$1.00 yd—In this sale,

75 CENTS YARD

50-inch heavy Diagonal Serge in most of the standard shades—a superb fabric, one of our best at \$1.25 yd. In this sale,

89 CENTS YARD

45-inch two toned Basket Weave Suiting—in handsome colorings, regular price \$1.25 yd. This sale,

98 CENTS YARD

Beautiful Pattern Suits, were \$10.00, For \$5.00 Each.

Elegant Pattern Suits, were \$12.00, For \$7.50 Each.

Stylish Pattern Suits, were \$14.00, For \$7.98 Each.

Nobby Pattern Suits, were \$20.00, For \$10.98 Each.

High Art Pattern Suits, were \$22.00, For \$12.00 Each.

The Best Pattern Suits, were \$30.00, For \$15.00 Each.

Many excellent values in BLACK GOODS—

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Fancy all Black Figured effects in Bangalines and Satin Soliel at 75c yard.

Heavy Black Cloakings, in Diagonals, Kerseys, Beaver, etc., from \$1.25 to \$3.00 yard.

The Best FRENCH FLANNELS, pretty designs, were 75 cents yard—This sale 58 CENTS YARD.

and yet more than \$3,000,000 in gold has been withdrawn from the treasury since the announcement of the bond issue. To use an expression common out here in the west, Mr. Carlisle does not seem to be "in it." He didn't know there were to be any bonds issued until the president had arranged it all with the Wall Street people. In fact, the first intimation that either the secretary or the country had of what was going on came from New York. And the country must submit to two more years of this sort of thing unless congress shall do something to shut Mr. Cleveland off. This is not likely to occur, as he has probably received enough patronage to influence congress as he did when the Sherman law was repealed.

THE TOPEKA JOURNAL asserts that "the coming administration is in honor bound to close up these iniquitous places," meaning the joints and lousies. The JOURNAL falls into the error of believing that the Republican party is bound by honor or anything else to carry out promises made before election. Moreover, the Republicans were working both sides of the road. They made as many promises to the sons of iniquity as to the pure in heart, and the chances are they will stand by the former, for there is more money in it.—Lawrence Gazette.

The above is a Democratic view from a Democratic paper. It expresses the skeptical opinions held by Democrats and Populists in regard to the intentions of the coming Republican administration. These skeptical opinions must and shall be overthrown by Governor Morrill's administration. The defeat of Lowell was largely due to the determination of the good people of this state that the policy shop scandals of Kansas City, Kan., should be brought to an end. Governor Morrill, we believe, has his mind made up on this point, and the days of these institutions are numbered.

## KANSAS PARAGRAPHS.

In Clay Center 10 to 1 means sixteen girls to one boy in the high school.  
Mr. Bonecutter of Broughton is not a surgeon as his name might imply.  
Rev. Mr. Fly of Wellington is just the kind of a preacher that staid town needs.  
A hen house at Wellington was burned the other day. The supposition is it was set.

The Southwestern Kansas Teachers' association meets at Wichita November 29 and 30.  
Discord has entered into the very heart of Stockton by the organization of a singing society.

Hill City has a dramatic club that was growing so popular the church people had to start a revival.  
Mrs. M. A. Hand of Holton has been appointed regent for Kansas of the Daughters of the Revolution.

"A lady or a gent in Phillips county" is wanted by an eastern firm to make \$20 a week. Let the "gents" come forth.  
Gospel wagon revival meetings are being held at Lincoln and the triumph bonum is considered to get a place on the spring seat.

Some tramps "who hadn't had anything to eat for forty-eight hours" worked the people of Alma for enough money to buy a pony keg.

A little child at Muscotah put her fingers in a clothes wringer the other

day and now she doesn't have to ask what is meant by the flat of the hand.

Politics and financial questions have given way in the minds of Manhattan people to speculation as to how many of the young men who loaf around town are making a living.

A little 6-year-old Muscotah girl after seeing a picture where Mr. Ingalls is in the act of knocking down a Democrat said: "Sav, papa, isn't Mr. Ingalls a big man? He can kill a Democrat."

There is a Populist boy at Oberlin who will be a big politician some day. When asked how he got along with Republican boys at school since the election he said: "I dodge the big ones and bully the little ones."

Manhattan wants a humane society. There is a man there who is so devoid of the principles of charity, that after working his horse until it was of no more use, because of it being sick, turned it out upon the streets in a starved and half dying condition to shift for itself.

## FROM CLERK TO PRESIDENT.

Rise in Life of D. W. Caldwell, President of the Lake Shore Road.

D. W. Caldwell began his railroad career 43 years ago as a clerk in the office of the Pennsylvania railroad. Today he is president of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern. Mr. Caldwell was born in Massachusetts in 1850 and at the age of 22 turned his ambitious mind to railroading. After a year's clerkship he entered the civil engineering department of the road and remained there three years.

His very apparent talent for the railroad business and his executive ability then led to his securing the office of general superintendent of the Pittsburgh and Conneautville railroad. In 1859 he became general superintendent of the Central Ohio railroad, an office he filled until 1874, when he resigned to accept a more advantageous position as general manager of the Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central, the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, the Little Miami, the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley, the Jeffersonville, Madison and Indianapolis and the Vandalia roads.

He held this important position until 1881, when the Pennsylvania road again employed him, not as clerk, but as general manager of all the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg. In 1882 he was elected vice president of the Nickel Plate road. He was appointed receiver later, and when the road was reorganized in 1887 he was elected president. He pursued a out rate policy that caused considerable comment in railroad circles, but during his regime, which ended very recently, he succeeded in raising the road from a condition of almost hopeless bankruptcy to a place among the sound roads of the east. He resides in Cleveland and although a bachelor is a very liberal entertainer.

Go and hear Edward P. Elliott, the jovial fun-maker, in his impersonations at Washburn college, Nov. 23, 8 p. m. Tickets for sale at city library.  
Buy Furman's \$5 Dress Shoes.

## A NEW BELLAMY COLONY.

Nationalism to Receive a Practical Demonstration at Belthoover, Pa.

The Bellamy Co-operative association of Belthoover, Pa., is to found a colony in Belthoover, and the colonists were recently laid by Mrs. Samuel Duncan Karna, wife of Dunc Karna, an oil region pioneer who was at one time worth millions. The colonists will endeavor to carry out Edward Bellamy's theories of nationalism.

There are 14 full and 50 associate members of the colony, and the full members are to do the work at present and receive their pay in colony certificates at the rate of 25 cents an hour. These certificates authorize the holder



SAMUEL DUNCAN KARNA.

to draw a proportionate share of the products of the association. The associate members will give their aid in either money or labor while they are on probation and will be entitled to all the privileges of the colony except the privilege of voting. When they are believed to have absorbed the true principles of Bellamy nationalism, they will be received into full membership. The association owns nine building lots, which were deeded the colony by Edward White, one of the members, in exchange for colony certificates. No money will be used by the colonists except in their dealings with the outside world, and they will build houses and manufacture different articles as a means of livelihood.

Dunc Karna, who displays such an interest in the colony, was an oil region character almost as celebrated as Coal Oil Johnny. He was born at Karna Station, in Butler county, Pa., 51 years ago, was boring for oil in West Virginia before the war, entered the United States army at the age of 17, fought throughout the rebellion and left the service a first lieutenant. After the war he returned to the oil business, and at one time he had an income of \$5,000 a day from a single oil well. Dunc was fond of champagne, and whenever he made a rich strike he would smash every silk hat in town and pay for them the next day. He was at one time considered worth \$3,000,000, but lost nearly all his money fighting the Standard Oil company.

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Center Tables in Oak, Mahogany, Curly Birch and Bird's Eye Maple—\$5, \$6, \$8, \$10 and up.

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High Back Dining Chairs, 75c, \$1.00 and up.

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